

**Teacher****Mrs Clerehugh****Class****Nursery****Date****27/04/20****Welcome Comment**

Hello everybody,

By now you should have all received your resource pack from school and we hope you are pleased with them. The whiteboards and pens are a fun way to mark make and even for your children to pretend to be the teacher with. The counters are great for making patterns, shapes and of course for counting! You could also play 'shops' and use them as money.

This week's activities include another Mini Yo story for a relaxing activity for all the family to join in with. You could also use the poses and make up your own stories.

It also includes a really fun scavenger hunt that can be used indoors or out and is great for engaging everyone and all of your senses. You could even make something with the things you find or play 'Kim's Game' with them. This is when you all close your eyes and someone takes an item away and everyone has to guess what is missing. We play this in small groups at Nursery.

The maths ideas could be used to encourage your child to help with chores. Can they pair all of the socks and count how many there are? As they tidy their toys can they sort them into colour groups and count them?

Finally there are some simple (and hopefully fun) ideas for reading and writing. Just a little a day keeps things enjoyable for us all.

**Learning Journeys**

We are hoping to be able to print off some of your fantastic home learning photos and comments to add to your child's Learning Journey book. Although we aren't together, we really value what you are all doing and would like to keep a record of your time together.

You don't have to send photos just a little message to let us know what you've been up to would be wonderful!

**Any Further Guidance**

We hope that you enjoy having a go at some of the tasks alongside all of the wonderful things you do together. Follow your child's interests where you can as they often aren't even aware that they are learning! For example, if your child likes to play with playdough or with mud, roll some shapes or make marks with sticks.

Please stay in touch as we like to know you are all ok and don't forget we are always here to help if you have any questions.

Have fun and stay safe.

Mrs C, Mrs Woodward and Miss Goodyear